



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 4284.0815

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
TORU TATEISHI	)	Group Art Unit: 2661
Application No.: 09/400,281	)	Examiner: S. Blount
Filed: September 21, 1999	)	Confirmation No.: 3259
For: COMMUNICATION	)	Notice of Allowance Dated: 9/16/05
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 and subject to the recommendation of the Examiner and the approval of the Director, and without withdrawing the case from issue, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are included in this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are included in the attached Replacement Drawing sheets. The amendments are discussed in this paper and are also illustrated in the attached annotated drawing sheets.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**Attachments** to this amendment include seven sheets of Replacement Drawings.